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In re application of: Chang

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INFECTION

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This responds to the Office action dated May 16, 2005. A three-month period for response was set, making a response due on or before August 16, 2005. As this response is being submitted prior to or on August 16, 2005, Applicant believes that no extension fee is due.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

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